FRANKLIN COUNTY
PUBLIC FACILITIES MANAGEMENT
373 South High Street, Lobby Level
Columbus, Ohio 43215

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

WORKING TITLE: Landscaper (Bargaining Unit) PCN: 033112

SUPERVISOR: Stan Eddy, Maintenance Supervisor

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES: Perform complex landscape maintenance duties (e.g., prune plants, fertilizes, seed lawns, lay sod, trim shrubs, mow, edge and water lawns, etc.). Clean ground (e.g., dispose of paper and debris, empty trash cans, lay gravel, remove snow, spread salt/chemicals to clean sidewalks and parking lots). Operate, service, and maintain equipment (e.g., tractors, mowers, dump trucks, gators, sprayers, snow blowers, bobcat, skid loaders, forklifts, tillers, welders and stump grinders). Perform general and routine building maintenance duties as assigned. Clean, paint, sharpen blades and trimmers, and install various attachments to landscape maintenance equipment. This position requires work outside under all weather conditions and with potentially dangerous equipment and chemicals. Maintain records of tools, materials, parts and supplies used. Prepare records and reports on work that has been accomplished or completed. Responsible for placing orders for materials or supplies as needed. May direct program participants assigned to perform community service and transport participants to various work sites.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: High School diploma or GED with two years of commercial landscape experience; or any equivalent combination of training and experience. Requires valid Ohio Driver's License and Certified Pesticide License (successful applicant must have secured pesticide license prior to end of 120 day probationary period). Ability to operate, maneuver and/or control the actions of machinery, tools, and/or materials used in performing essential job functions including plow trucks, salt spreaders, dump trucks, mowers, weed eaters, trenchers, tillers, shovels, ATVs, tractors, gators, computers, and other County motor vehicles. Tasks may risk exposure to weather or temperature extremes, strong odors, toxic or poisonous agents, smoke, dust, pollen, wetness, humidity, animals, wildlife, electric currents, bright or dim light, noise extremes, vibrations, machinery, and traffic hazards. Ability to work around various chemicals, such as pesticides, herbicides and fungicides.

SCREENING CRITERIA:

- Experience in commercial landscaping and tree climbing.
- Ohio Department of Agriculture Pesticide Applicator License.
- Experience in use of associated hand and power tools.

DEADLINE FOR APPLYING: Thursday, February 10, 2011

STARTING SALARY: \$12.60/hour, plus a comprehensive benefit package.

If interested, apply on-line at www.franklincountyohio.gov/commissioners/hr

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